

Recommended for 2016 Construction Loan Funding: City of Bellingham

Cornwall Avenue Landfill

County: Whatcom

Legislative District: 42nd

PWB Loan Request: \$4,000,000

Other Funds: \$5,099,231

Total Project Cost: \$9,099,231

Serves:

Schools: 21 (11,000 Students)



The landfill operated from 1954-1965. Significant shoreline erosion has occurred, resulting in exposure of landfill refuse at the surface and release of landfill refuse into Bellingham Bay. To prevent people, plants and animals from being exposed to harmful levels of contamination under future use of the site as a waterfront park, the Department of Ecology has selected this project for cleanup pursuant to the Model Toxics Control Act, which will be enforced by a Consent Degree. The City is 75% liable for the costs pursuant to a settlement agreement with the Port of Bellingham.

| Previously Funded PWTF Projects | Amount | Year | PWTF Program | Status |
|---------------------------------|-------------|------|--------------|----------|
| Rerouting of Chestnut Street | \$1,000,000 | 1987 | Construction | Complete |
| Woburn Street Improvements | \$1,000,000 | 1988 | Construction | Complete |
| Water Project | \$1,000,000 | 1989 | Construction | Complete |
| Sewer Project | \$445,500 | 1991 | Construction | Complete |
| Street Resurfacing Program | \$2,975,000 | 2002 | Construction | Complete |
| Water Main Replacement Program | \$1,938,000 | 2002 | Construction | Complete |
| | \$8,358,500 | | | |